

# CITY OF HOUSTON

# **Job Posting**

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ALL PERSONS INTERESTED Applications accepted from:

Job Classification Posting Number Department Division Section Reporting Location Workdays & Hours

FINANCIAL ANALYST IV PN# 106508 **Department of Public Works & Engineering Resource Management Division Fiscal Services Section** 611 Walker St.\* M - F, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.\*

\*Subject to change

**DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES/ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS** 

Responsible for the annual COH Water and Sewer Rate Model process. Responsibilities include updating costs annually, implementing changes and improvements to the Rate Model. Analyze the modeled rate compared to the effective rates and understand the causes of the change. Proactively give suggestions on changes to the rate model or the rates. Lead the annual rate and charges adjustments. Understand the principals of utility rates. Annual rate comparison to other municipalities. Work with the division manager to support the PWE team that create and implement water authority contracts, GRP contracts, co-participant contracts and other water and wastewater contracts. The ability to review, craft and interpret contracts language. Envision changes to contracts, assist in contracts drafts, and create financial models of the contracts/agreements as required. Write RCA's when required. Develop financial forecasting and budgeting modeling for the water and sewer revenues. Analyze the monthly variances to revenues budget and projection. Develop a fifteen-year revenue-forecasting model – to assist in the long range planning of the utility. Create the annual O & M charges for the East and the Northeast Water Purification Plant. Create the presentations and letters for various purchasing entities. As well as assist in adding new entities and setting rates. Coordinate the annual external audit. Develop detailed reporting and analysis of the Water and Wastewater system - using analytical tools, such as regression analysis, linear programming, variance analysis, graphics and others.

#### 10 **WORKING CONDITIONS**

This position is physically comfortable; the individual has discretion about walking, standing, etc.

#### 11 **MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

Requires a Bachelor's Degree in Finance, Accounting, Business Administration or a closely related field.

#### 12 **MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS**

Six (6) years of professional experience in finance, economics, budget analysis or a closely related field are required. A Master's Degree in Business Administration, Accounting, or a closely related field may be substituted for two years of the above experience requirement.

## **MINIMUM LICENSE REQUIREMENTS**

Valid Texas Driver's License and compliance with the City of Houston's policy on driving (AP 2-2).

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Preference will be given to applicants with extensive experience in financial analysis, including computer modeling using analytical tools such as: regression, linear programming, and statistics.

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<u>SELECTION/SKILLS TESTS REQUIRED</u> None However, the Department may administer a skill assessment evaluation.

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#### **SAFETY IMPACT POSITION** ■ Yes □ No

If yes, this position is subject to random drug testing and if a promotional position, candidate must pass an assignment drug test.

# SALARY INFORMATION

Factors used in determining the salary offered include the candidate's qualifications as well as the pay rates of other employees in this classification. The salary range for this position is:

> Salary Range - Pay Grade 25 0 Biweekly \$39,026 - \$54,080 Annually \$1,501 - \$2,080 Biweekly

**OPENING DATE** 18

> **CLOSING DATE OPEN UNTIL FILLED**

### **APPLICATION PROCEDURES** 20

Original applications and resumes only are accepted and must be received by the Human Resources Department during posting opening and closing dates shown, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at 611 Walker, First Floor. TDD Line phone number (713) 837-9471. Successful candidates will be notified of their application status. All new and rehires must pass a pre-employment drug test and are subject to a physical examination and verification of information provided.

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